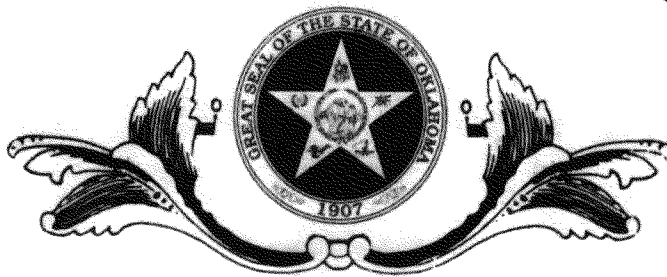


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# STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

## Proclamation

**Whereas**, Oklahoma is comprised of people from many nations, beliefs, and backgrounds; and

**Whereas**, the Colombian Society of Oklahoma was created to promote a better understanding of the Colombian culture and customs; and

**Whereas**, the Colombian Society of Oklahoma holds festivals and cultural events to share their rich heritage with neighbors and friends; and

**Whereas**, the observance of Colombian Heritage Day helps keep Colombian traditions alive among the younger generations born and brought up in Oklahoma;

**Whereas**, Colombians in Oklahoma will celebrate 213 years of the Independence of Colombia, emphasizing the significant contributions Colombians have made to our state;

**Now Therefore**, I, Governor J. Kevin Stitt, do hereby proclaim July 16, 2023 as

**"Colombian Heritage Day"**

in the State of Oklahoma.

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.*



*Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this Twelfth day of July, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty-three and of the State of Oklahoma in the One-hundred and fifteenth year.*

*Brian Blum*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Kevin Stitt*  
GOVERNOR

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